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Daily Calendar **Thursday, August 31, 2000**

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Commission Decision and Resolution Summaries for the Conference of August 3, 2000, are included in this calendar.



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REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

September 7, 2000	10 am	San Francisco
September 21, 2000	10 am	San Francisco
October 5, 2000	10 am	San Francisco

COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS

(Not Open to the Public)

Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

September 5, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco
September 18, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco
October 2, 2000	1:30 pm	San Francisco

NOTICES

Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing

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morning of the Commission meeting, but not earlier.

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COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS

NONE

PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS

Working Group Meeting Notice

<i>August 31, 2000</i> <i>10 am – 4 pm</i>	<i>The Gas Company Energy Resource Center (ERC)</i> <i>9240 E. Firestone Boulevard</i> <i>Downey</i>
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Pursuant to the April 28, 2000 Assigned Commissioner's Ruling, the Low-Income Reporting Requirements Manual Working Group will hold a public meeting to discuss Administration and Implementation, specifically the breakout of administrative costs by function vs. labor, non-labor, contract and how to define administrative vs. implementation costs, internal and out-source costs.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call: 1-800-473-8692. After hearing the prompt, enter the access code (6686074). Working Group participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Michael Rosauer of the Energy Division (e-mail: fly@cpuc.ca.gov, phone: (415) 703-2579).

Energy Efficiency Workshop Notice

*September 6, 2000
10 am – 4 pm*

*California Public Utilities Commission
Training Room
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco*

Pursuant to the August 15, 2000 Administrative Law Judge's Ruling, the Energy Division and Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company shall hold a joint workshop to discuss program planning and milestone development for PY2001. The purpose of the workshop is to discuss the prioritization of the Commission's goals for program planning (as set forth in D.99-08-021 and D.00-07-017) and to establish a format/structure for milestones and shareholder incentives. There will also be a brief discussion of the Quarterly reports filed August 16, 2000. Workshop participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Anne Premo (awp@cpuc.ca.gov 415-703-1247) or Julie Fitch (fs2@cpuc.ca.gov 415-703-2776) of the Energy Division.

Energy Efficiency Workshop Notice

*September 7, 2000
9:30 am – 4 pm*

*Pacific Gas and Electric Company
77 Beale Street, Room 300
San Francisco*

Pursuant to the August 15, 2000 Administrative Law Judge's Ruling, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southern California Edison Company, Southern California Gas Company and Pacific Gas and Electric Company will jointly hold a public workshop to discuss proposals and develop consensus positions on program year 2001 nonresidential energy efficiency programs. Topics are limited to: development of further segmentation of the nonresidential market into sub-classes and market segments; development of protocols for provision of customer participation information; discussion on multi-year customer caps; and, discussion on nonresidential underserved market (definitions, assessment of size and characteristics, monitoring of availability and delivery of program services, and targeted solicitations).

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call 1-800-816-3011 and enter the access code #18880. Workshop participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact William Miller of Pacific Gas and Electric Company at (415) 973-4911 or by e-mail: wcm2@pge.com.

California Measurement Advisory Council Workshop Notice

<i>September 12, 2000</i> <i>9 am – 5 pm</i> <i>and</i> <i>September 13, 2000</i> <i>9 am – 4 pm</i>	<i>Sempra Energy</i> <i>101 Ash Street</i> <i>San Diego</i>
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Pursuant to the August 15, 2000 Administrative Law Judge's Ruling, the California Measurement Advisory Council (CALMAC) will conduct public workshops to discuss proposals and develop consensus positions on program year 2001 energy efficiency program cost-effectiveness and related matters. Topics are limited to: avoided costs, net-to-gross, measure life, market effects, energy efficiency measure saturation, measure cost, third party initiatives (cost effectiveness and reporting requirements). If needed, the discussion of topics will be continued at a subsequent CALMAC meeting to be held on September 19, 2000.

Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call 1-800-394-0102 and enter the access code 16880#.

Workshop participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Joy Yamagata of Sempra Energy at (619) 696-4325 or by email: jyamagata@sempra.com.

Public Meeting - Low Income Advisory Board Technical Committee (LIAB TC)

<i>September 12, 2000</i> <i>10 am – 5 pm</i> <i>and</i> <i>September 13, 2000</i> <i>9 am – 3 pm</i>	<i>Pacific Gas and Electric Company Pacific Energy Center</i> <i>851 Howard Street</i> <i>(1 block west of Moscone Center)</i> <i>San Francisco</i>
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The Low Income Advisory Board Technical Committee (LIAB TC) will meet to discuss, review or decide the following topics: Define a Weatherized house, Review definition of hardship, Review of RRM Draft Report, Phase II Utility Standardization Team recommendations, CARE Outreach Pilot data format review, Needs Assessment, Commission Decision Review, and Calendar and Membership.

This location is wheelchair accessible. The meeting is open to the public.

For more information, please contact Louise Perez at (916) 567-5220.

Workshop Notice

<i>September 18, 2000</i> <i>9 am – 11 am</i>	<i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>320 W. 4th Street, 5th Floor, Hearing Room</i> <i>Los Angeles</i>
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Guidelines for the use of four quadrant gates at railroad crossings in California. For a copy of the proposed guidelines send an e-mail to jae@cpuc.ca.gov, or call Jesus Escamilla at (213)576-7084.

California Measurement Advisory Council Workshop Notice

<i>September 19, 2000 9:30 am – 3 pm (Continuation of September 13th meeting, if needed.)</i>	<i>Embassy Suites Hotel 8425 Firestone Boulevard Downey</i>
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Teleconference Information: The meeting is accessible through teleconference. To use this option, please call 1-888-422-7109 and enter the access code 144919.

Workshop participation is open to the public and the meeting is wheelchair accessible. For more information contact Joy Yamagata of Sempra Energy at (619) 696-4325 or by email: jyamagata@sempra.com.

NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS

(Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

NONE

NEW FILINGS

08/28/00	C00-08-040	Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. San Diego Gas & Electric Company for unlawful practices of customers meters reading and billing.
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PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

NONE

**DRAFT DECISIONS * PROPOSED DECISIONS * ALTERNATES * PRESIDING
OFFICER'S DECISION * ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS**

NONE

ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS

NONE

MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

June 5, 2000

In a letter to the Director of the Telecommunications Division (TD), received June 5, 2000, the Director of the Payphone Service Providers Enforcement Committee and the Public Policy Payphone Program submitted proposed budgets for the period of July 1, 2001 through June 30, 2002 for both of these programs. Anyone wishing to send written comments or a complaint about these proposed budgets should address them to Jack M. Leutza, Director, TD, California Public Utilities Commission, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco CA 94102. To obtain a copy of these proposed budgets, please contact Sandy Salmans at 1 Crow Canyon Court, Suite 110, San Ramon, CA 94583.

TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

7/3/00	C.98-03-023	Vieth - Gina Guillamum Di Resta vs. Esprit Del Sol Apartments.
7/24/00	A.00-05-053	Jones - In the matter of the petition of Sprint Communications Company, L.P. for arbitration of interconnection rates, terms, conditions, and related arrangements with Pacific Bell.
8/1/00	I.99-07-003	Biren - Investigation on the Commission's own motion to consider the costs and benefits of various promising

revisions to the regulatory and market structure governing California's natural gas industry and to report to the California Legislature on the Commission's findings.

ADJOURNMENTS * RESETTINGS * SUBMISSIONS

- I.00-08-002 Wetzell - Order instituting investigation into the functioning of the wholesale electric market and associated impact on retail rates,
Prehearing Conference held and no report given
- A.00-01-023 Walker - In the matter of the application of Pacific Bell Telephone Company (U 1001 C) for authority pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 to lease space in administrative buildings and central offices and to transfer assets to SBC Advanced Solutions, Inc.,
Prehearing Conference held and concluded
- A.00-01-037 Barnett - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to sell its fuel oil pipeline facilities,
Prehearing Conference held and no report given
- C.00-06-012 McVicar - Mark III Engineering Contractors vs. Southern California Water Company; Arden-Cordova Water Company; and Citizens Utilities Company of California,
Evidentiary Hearing set for September 6 reset to September 27

REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

NONE

NEW SETTINGS

9/5/00 1:00 p.m. (PHC) - Application of Red & White Ferries, Inc. to
ALJ Rosenthal A.00-07-034 temporarily suspend scheduled weekday vessel
Comr Bilas common carrier service between Richmond and San

Francisco,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

10/17/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern
ALJ Brown	A.00-05-026	California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to
Comr Duque		market value and retain the generation-related portions
		of SSID,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

10/17/00	11:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern
ALJ Brown	A.00-05-027	California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to
Comr Duque		divest its remaining SO2 allowances,
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judge A. Kirk McKenzie at 9:30 a.m. in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.

8/15/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/22/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED
8/29/00	9:30 a.m.	NONE SCHEDULED

FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS

NONE

HEARINGS

Dates in parentheses following the word "also" are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner's name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference

(EH) = Evidentiary Hearing

(PPH) = Public Participation Hearing

(FOA) = Final Oral Argument

(WS) = Workshop

(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing

(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting**(AH) = Arbitration Hearing****(M) = Mediation****(CA) = Closing Argument**

9/5/00 ALJ O'Donnell Comr Lynch	9:30 a.m. I.99-06-036	(EH) - Investigation into Commonwealth Energy Corporation's operations and practices in connection with providing service as an electricity service provider under Registration No. 1092, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 6)
9/5/00 ALJ Thomas Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. A.99-09-029	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Northeast San Jose Transmission Reinforcement project, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 6 - 8)
9/5/00 ALJ Thomas Comr Duque	6:30 p.m. R.00-05-001	(PPH) - Order instituting rulemaking into implementation of Senate Bill 669, regarding the deaf and disabled telecommunications program, Elihu Harris State Building Auditorium 1515 Clay Street Oakland, CA
	Sept. 11, 2000 6:30 p.m.	Ontario Convention Center 2000 Convention Center Way Ontario, CA
	Sept. 13, 2000 6:30 p.m.	Employment Development Department Auditorium 722 Capitol Mall Sacramento, CA
	Sept. 18, 2000 6:30 p.m.	Scottish Rite Center 1895 Camino del Rio South San Diego, CA
9/5/00 ALJ Rosenthal Comr Bilas	1:00 p.m. A.00-07-034	(PHC) - Application of Red & White Ferries, Inc. to temporarily suspend scheduled weekday vessel common carrier service between Richmond and San Francisco, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/5/00 ALJ Walker Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. C.00-08-025	(EH) - Models, Inc. and Danny R. Watson vs. Pacific Bell, Commission Courtroom, Los Angeles

**State Office Building
320 W. 4th Street
Los Angeles, CA**

9/6/00 ALJ Cooke Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. R.99-10-025 (Phase 2)	(EH) - Order instituting rulemaking into distributed generation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 7-8; September 11-15. Hearing on Mondays starts at 10:00 a.m., rest of the week starts at 9:00 a.m.)
9/6/00 ALJ McKenzie Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.99-12-024	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to value its hydroelectric generation assets and for authority to retain its hydroelectric generation assets in a regulated utility corporation, Commission Auditorium, San Francisco
9/7/00 ALJ Minkin Comr Lynch	10:00 a.m. A.00-03-038	(PHC) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for current cost recovery during the rate freeze period, (PHC) - Application of Southern California Edison Company requesting modification of its Transition Revenue Account (TRA) and Transition Cost Balancing Account (TCBA) mechanisms to allow for the transfer and recovery of costs and return of revenues recorded in various previously-authorized regulatory accounts during the rate freeze period, and related relief, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) October 2)
9/7/00 ALJ McKenzie Comr Lynch	10:00 a.m. I.00-03-001	(PHC) - In the matter of the investigation into the operations and practices of Qwest Communications Corporations, et al., concerning compliance with statutes, Commission decisions, and other requirements applicable to the utility's installation of facilities in California for providing telecommunication service, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/8/00 ALJ Thomas Comr Duque	9:30 a.m. A.99-09-029	(CA) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity authorizing the construction of the Northeast San Jose Transmission Reinforcement project, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/8/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - Rita Boppana vs. Southern California Gas Company,
ALJ Brown	C.00-05-010	
Comr Lynch		
		(PHC) - Albert Jibilian vs. Southern California Gas Company,
		(PHC) - Christine Storey vs. Southern California Gas Company,
		Westchester Municipal Building
		Community Room
		7166 W. Manchester Avenue
		Westchester, CA
9/8/00	9:30 a.m.	(EH) - Order instituting investigation into the functioning of the wholesale electric market and associated impact on retail rates,
ALJ Wetzell	I.00-08-002	
Comr Wood		
		Silver Room 250
		San Diego Concourse
		3rd and "B" Streets
		San Diego, CA
		(also 9:30 a.m., September 14 and 9:00 a.m., September 15)
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to value its hydroelectric generation assets and for authority to retain its hydroelectric generation assets in a regulated utility corporation,
ALJ McKenzie	A.99-12-024	
Comr Wood		
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 12 - 15)
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - WTA-Campbell Technology Park, LLC vs. San Jose Water Company,
ALJ Prestidge	C.00-03-004	
Comr Duque		
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/11/00	9:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of the Southern California Water Company (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in its Arden-Cordova service area, and related matters,
ALJ Bennett	A.00-03-064	
Comr Duque		
	A.00-03-065	
	A.00-03-066	
	A.00-03-067	
	A.00-03-068	
	A.00.03-069	
	A.00-03-070	
		Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
9/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of

ALJ Ryerson Comr Bilas	A.00-05-006	AmericanStar Tours for authority to operate as a passenger stage corporation between points in San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Monterey, Santa Clara, and San Francisco and the Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Jose International Airports and to establish a zone of rate freedom, City Hall Council Chambers 760 Mattie Road Pismo Beach, CA
9/12/00 ALJ DeUlloa Comr Lynch	10:00 a.m. C.99-12-029	(PHC) - AT&T Communications of California, Inc., vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company,
	C.00-02-027	(PHC) - Pacific Bell Telephone Company vs. AT&T Communications of California, Inc., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also (EH) September 18 - 22)
9/12/00 ALJ McVicar Comr Wood	7:00 p.m. A.00-05-016	(PPH) - Application of SJW Corp., a California corporation, San Jose Water Company (U-168-W), a California corporation, SJW Acquisition Corp., a Delaware corporation, and California-American Water Company (U-210-W), a California corporation, for each of the following orders: 1. Authorizing SJW Acquisition Corp. to merge with and into SJW Corp., with SJW Corp. as the surviving corporation; 2. Authorizing SJW Corp. thereafter to merge San Jose Water Company with and into California-American Water Company, with California-American Water Company as the surviving corporation thereafter to carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of San Jose Water Company; 3. Authorizing San Jose Water Company to withdraw from the water utility business; and 4. For related relief, Double Tree Hotel 2050 Gateway Place San Jose, CA
9/13/00 ALJ Vieth Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.00-03-052	(EH) - Joint application of buhl Water System (U 239 W), Eptco Water System (U 238 W), Nish Water System (U 271 W), Tulco Water Company (U 272 W), and Nish, Inc., a California corporation, and California Water Service Company (U 60 W), a California corporation, for an order authorizing (1) the sale and transfer to California Water Service Company

of the Buhl, Eptco, Nish, and Tulco Water Systems,
(2) the discontinuance of service of Buhl, Eptco, Nish,
and Tulco Water Systems in the territories now served
by them, and the commencement of service in said
territories by California Water Service Company at the
rates then effective in the Buhl, Eptco, Nish, and Tulco
Water System,
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
September 14)**

9/14/00 10:00 a.m.
ALJ Walker A.99-08-021
Comr Duque

(PHC) - Application of Pacific Fiber Link, L.L.C. (U-6028-C) for modification of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to review proponent's environmental assessment for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"),
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/15/00 10:00 a.m.
ALJ Kenney C.00-04-038
Comr Wood

(PHC) - Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Tel West Companies, LLC (U-6114-C),

C.00-04-039

(PHC) - Utility Consumers' Action Network vs. Choctaw Communications, Inc., dba Smoke Signals Communications (U-6008-C),
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/18/00 7:00 p.m.
ALJ McVicar A.00-05-015
Comr Wood

(PPH) - Application of Citizens Utilities Company of California (U-87-W), a California corporation, and California-American Water Company, a California corporation, for each of the following orders:

- 1 Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to sell and to transfer all of its water utility assets and indebtedness to California-American Water Company;
2. Authorizing California-American Water Company to acquire all of the water utility assets and indebtedness of Citizens Utilities Company of California and thereafter to engage in and carry on the water utility business and service to the customers of Citizens Utilities Company of California;
2. Authorizing Citizens Utilities Company of California to withdraw from the water utility business; and
4. For related relief,

**Felton Community Hall
6191 Highway 9
Felton, CA**

9/19/00 Farallone View Elementary School
7:00 p.m. Third Street & Le Conte Avenue
 Montara, CA

9/20/00 Luther Burbank Center
7:00 p.m. 50 Mark West Springs Road
 Santa Rosa, CA

9/21/00 Crosswoods Community Center
7:00 p.m. 6742 Auburn Boulevard
 Citrus Heights, CA

9/18/00 10:00 a.m. **(EH)** - In the matter of the application of Sierra Pacific
ALJ Galvin A.00-05-018 Power Company, for authority to establish authorized
Comr Wood rate of return on common equity for electric
 distribution for year 2001,
 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
 September 19 - 21 and continued as needed)

9/19/00 1:30 p.m. **(PHC)** - Boston Properties, Inc. vs. Pacific Gas and
ALJ Ryerson C.00-05-039 Electric Company,
Comr Bilas **Commission Courtroom, San Francisco**

9/19/00 1:30 p.m. **(PHC)** - Application to share with ratepayers post-rate
ALJ Barnett A.00-06-046 freeze net benefits of operating Diablo Canyon in
Comr Wood compliance with Decision 97-05-088,
 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/19/00 2:30 p.m. **(PHC)** - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric
ALJ Barnett A.00-07-043 Company for authority, among other things, to
Comr Wood increase rates and charges for electric and gas service
 effective on January 1, 2001 and on January 2, 2002,
 Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/20/00 9:00 a.m. **(EH)** - Carol Fisch vs. Garrapata Water Co., Inc.,
ALJ Vieth C.00-03-017 **City Hall Council Chambers**
Comr Duque **Corner of Pacific and Madison Streets**
 Monterey, CA

9/20/00 10:00 a.m. **(PHC)** - Application of Sierra Pacific Power Company
ALJ Thomas A.00-07-001 for approval of a proposed distribution performance-
Comr Bilas based ratemaking mechanism supported by a cost of
 service study,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

9/25/00 ALJ Barnett Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-04-002	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority to revise its gas rates and tariffs to be effective January 1, 2001, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26 - 29; October 2 - 6)
9/25/00 ALJ Vieth Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. C.00-04-012	(EH) - Catellus Development Corporation, a Delaware corporation, and SF Pacific Properties, Inc., a Delaware corporation vs. Williams Communications, Inc., dba VYVX, Inc., a Delaware corporation, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26)
9/25/00 ALJ Galvin Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. A.00-05-013	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for (i) authority to establish its authorized rates of return on common equity for electric distribution and gas distribution for year 2001, and (ii) adoption of an annual cost of capital adjustment mechanism, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 26 - 29 and continued as needed)
9/27/00 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. C.00-06-012	(EH) - Mark III Engineering Contractors vs. Southern California Water Company; Arden-Cordova Water Company; and Citizens Utilities Company of California, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also September 28)
10/3/00 ALJ Wetzell Comr Bilas	9:00 a.m. A.97-12-020 I.97-11-026 A.94-12-005 I.95-02-015	(EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority, among other things, to increase rates and charges for electric and gas service effective January 1, 1999, (EH) - Investigation into the reasonableness of expenses related to the out-of-service status of Pacific Gas and Electric Company's El Dorado Hydroelectric Project and the need to reduce electric rates related to this non-functioning electric generating facility, (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company for authority among other things, to decrease its rates and charges for electric and gas service, and increase rates and charges for pipeline expansion service (electric and gas), (EH) - Order instituting investigation into rates, charges, and practices of Pacific Gas and Electric

Company,
**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also
October 4)**

10/3/00 1:30 p.m.
ALJ O'Donnell A.00-04-023
Comr Duque

(PPH) - In the matter of the application of the California-American Water Company (U 210 W) for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Los Angeles Division to increase revenues by \$1,938,500 in the year 2001; \$782,100 in the year 2002; and \$642,800 in the year 2003, (San Marino & Duarte Service Area)
**San Marino City Hall Council Chambers
2200 Huntington Drive
San Marino, CA**

October 3, 2000 (Baldwin Hills Service Area)
7:00 p.m. **Inglewood Public Library
101 W. Manchester Blvd.
Inglewood, CA**

**also (EH) October 10 - 13. Hearings will begin at
10:00 a.m. on October 10 and at 9:30 a.m. for the
following hearing days.**

10/10/00 10:00 a.m.
ALJ Patrick A.00-03-062
Comr Duque

(EH) - Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company for review of its Market Indexed Capital Adjustment Mechanism (MICAM),
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

10/13/00 11:00 a.m.
ALJ Barnett C.00-08-023

(ECP) - Henry N. Addington vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company,
**State Office Building
Room B-103, 1350 Front Street
San Diego, CA**

10/13/00 12:00 Noon
ALJ Barnett C.00-08-029

(ECP) - David Mitchell vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company,
**State Office Building
Room B-103, 1350 Front Street
San Diego, CA**

10/17/00 10:00 a.m.
ALJ Brown A.00-05-026
Comr Duque

(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to market value and retain the generation-related portions of SSID,
Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

10/17/00 ALJ Brown Comr Duque	11:00 a.m. A.00-05-027	(PHC) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for authority to divest its remaining SO2 allowances, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/19/00 ALJ Vieth Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. C.00-01-017	(EH) - Los Robles Mobile Home Park Chapter 393 of the Golden State Mobilehome Owners League vs. Hillsboro Properties and City of Novato Redevelopment Agency, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
10/23/00 ALJ Brown Comr Wood	10:00 a.m. C.97-04-025	(EH) - Arco Products Company, Mobil Oil Corporation, Texaco Refining and Marketing, Inc., and Equilon Enterprises, LLC vs. Santa Fe Pacific Pipeline, L.P., Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also October 24 - 27)
11/6/00 ALJ McVicar Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.00-03-029	(EH) In the matter of the application of Southern California Water Company (U-133-W) for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity pursuant to California Public Utilities Code Section 1001 to add to its Santa Maria customer service area the Community of Cypress Ridge, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 7)
11/13/00 ALJ Gottstein Comr Bilas	10:00 a.m. A.99-03-014	(EH) – Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to revise its electrical marginal costs, revenue allocation, and rates at the end of the rate freeze, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 14 - 17; November 28 - December 1; December 4 - 8) Evidentiary Hearing will be held from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Mondays, and from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday through Friday
11/27/00 ALJ Walker Comr Duque	10:00 a.m. A.99-08-021	(EH) - Application of Pacific Fiber Link, L.L.C. (U-6028-C) for modification of its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (“CPCN”) to review proponents’s environmental assessment for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (“CEQA”), Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also November 28 - 30)

12/11/00	10:00 a.m.	(EH) - In the matter of the application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338) for approval of agreements to sell its interest in four corners generaitng station and Palo Verde generating station, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 12 - 13)
ALJ Barnett	A.00-05-024	
Comr Duque		
1/9/01	10:00 a.m.	(EH) – Paula Karrison, an individual vs. A & P Moving, Inc., Commission Offices 707 “L” Street, Suite 1050 Sacramento, CA (also January 10 – 11)
ALJ Bennett	C.95-03-057	
Comr Duque		
2/1/01	10:00 a.m.	(EH) – Arco Products Company, a division of Atlantic Richfield Company (“ARCO”) and Mobil Oil Corporation (“MOBIL”) vs. SFPP, L.P.,
ALJ Brown	C.00-04-013	
Comr Wood		
	A.00-03-044	(EH) – In the matter of the application of SFPP, L.P. for authority to justify its rates for intrastate transportation of refined petroleum products on the basis of market factors, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also February 2 – 12 at 9:00 a.m.)

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7/20/00	D00-07-056	C00-05-050 - James R. Southard vs. East Pasadena Water Company. Dismissed. Deposit of \$285.07 is disbursed to complainant.
	D00-07-057	R95-04-043 - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission’s own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 - Related Matter. Corrects Appendix B of D99-12-048.
	D00-07-058	A00-06-018 - USA Digital Communications, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service as a switchless reseller. Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.
	D00-07-059	A00-06-019 - NEXTLINK Long Distance Services, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service as a facilities-based carrier. Granted as set

forth. This proceeding is closed.

	D00-07-060	A00-06-021 - TDS Long Distance Corporation. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service as a switchless reseller. Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.
7/24/	D00-07-061	C00-04-004 - Ron Meats, Ronald Williams vs. Southern California Edison Company. Corrects D00-06-085 and directs the Fiscal Office of the Commission to release impound amount of \$2,850.00 to Edison.
	D00-07-062	A92-05-002 - GTE California Incorporated. For review of the operations of the incentive-based regulatory framework adopted in D89-10-031. A92-05-004. I87-11-033 - Related Matters. Corrects error in D00-07-004; A92-05-002 and A92-05-004 are closed.
	D00-07-063	A93-07-060 - Southern California Gas Company. Petition for modification of Res. G-2998. Dismissed.
7/28	D00-07-064	A00-06-026 - WorkNet Communications, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service as a facilities-based carrier. Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.
7/31	D00-07-065	A00-06-030 - U.S. Dial Tone, L.P. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide interLATA and intraLATA telecommunications service as a switchless reseller. Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.

COMMISSION MEETING OF AUGUST 3, 2000

Commissioners Present:

Loretta M. Lynch, President

Henry M. Duque

Josiah L. Neeper

Richard A. Bilas

Carl W. Wood

8/3/000	D00-08-001	A00-04-021 - Kernville Domestic Water Company (Kernville), dba Kern River Valley Water Company, and Mullen Water Company (Mullen). For an order authorizing the acquisition of the Utility assets of Mullen
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by Kernville. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**

- D00-08-002 A00-03-051 - Chapin-Tolley-Brown Enterprises, LLC. For authority under Section 1031 et seq., of the Public Utilities Code (PU Code), to operate as an on-call, door-to-door, infant and child common carrier, transporting children between infant/childcare facilities and activity centers described in the body of the application, on the one hand, and points in Orange County, on the other hand, and to establish a Zone of Rate Freedom under Section 454.2 et. seq. of the PU Code. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-003 A98-07-006 - San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E). For approval of consolidated changes in 1999 authorized revenue and revised rate components; the CTC rate component and associated headroom calculations; RGTCOMA balances; PX credit computations; disposition of various balancing/memorandum accounts; and electric revenue allocation and rate design changes. A98-07-003, A98-07-026 - Related matters. **Grants the unopposed Petition for Modification of D99-06-058 filed by SDG&E. It allows SDG&E to transfer funds for the CARE discount from its Public Purpose Program to its distribution function. These proceedings are closed.**
- D00-08-004 R95-08-002 – Order Instituting Rulemaking regarding the specialized transportation of unaccompanied infants and children. **Converts interim rules previously adopted in D97-07-063 to final rules, makes permanent previously authorized interim authorities granted to carriers. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-005 A00-04-016 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company. For an ex parte order approving as reasonable payments made to Mt. Poso Cogeneration Company, L.P., during the period February 1998 through September 1999. **Approved as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-006 A99-12-014 - Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority. For authority to construct a new, grade separated Rail-rail crossing, which involves the modification of an existing Union Pacific Railroad at-grade railroad crossing for the Light Rail Transit Line of the Tasman Corridor Project in the City of Milpitas.

Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.

- D00-08-007 A99-04-048 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company. For an order to sell and convey certain limited sole-customer public utility facilities. **Modifies D99-12-030 to the extent that the resolution of the ratemaking issues presented by A99-04-048 are deferred to a future application to be filed on or before September 1, 2000. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-008 A98-10-012 - Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas). For authority to revise its rates effective August 1, 1999, in its Biennial Cost Allocation Proceeding . A98-10-031 – Related matter. **Grants the petition of SoCalGas to modify D00-04-060, the partial stay of D00-04-060 by D00-05-050 is dissolved.**
- D00-08-009 A00-04-019 - Airporter, Inc., dba Santa Rosa Airporter and Golden States Coaches, Inc., dba Frontier Tours. For authority to transfer a Passenger Stage Corporation Certificate, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Utilities Code Section 851 et seq. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-010 R95-04-043 - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service. I95-04-044 - Related matter. **Revises the required initial deposit previously set in D97-04-046 for Commission costs for the processing of applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity related to compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) from \$2000 to \$200. Each applicant shall remain liable for actual subsequent CEQA costs incurred.**
- D00-08-011 A00-01-022 - AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (AT&T), et al. For arbitration of an interconnection agreement with Pacific Bell Telephone Company. **Approves the interconnection agreement between AT&T, TCG - San Francisco, TCG-Los Angeles, TCG-San Diego, and TCI Telephony Services of California as set forth**
- D00-08-012 A00-03-018 - GTC Telecom. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to operate as a reseller of local exchange service. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**

- D00-08-013 A00-04-035 - Enron Telecommunications, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide competitive local exchange, access, and non-dominant interexchange service. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-014 A00-04-010 – Platinum Development Company, LLC. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide competitive local exchange, intraLATA and interLATA telephone service including hi-speed data service. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-015 A00-04-049 – KMC Telecom V, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide facilities-based and resold local exchange and resold interexchange service. **Granted as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-016 A99-06-028 - Level 3 Communications, LLC (Level 3). For certificate of public convenience and necessity (CPCN) to provide switched and dedicated, resale and facilities-based, interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services. **This decision grants an amendment to Level 3's CPCN to authorize specified network construction and operation outside of existing rights-of-way. It also adopts the subsequent mitigated negative declaration. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-017 A98-12-037 - Williams Communications, Inc., dba Vyvx, Inc. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide InterLATA and IntraLATA telecommunications services. **Authorizes Williams Communications, Inc. to construct fiber optic facilities between the cities of Riverside and San Diego as set forth. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-018 A00-02-038 - Paul W. McGregor. For an exemption from the moratorium on new water service connections in the Montara-Moss Beach District as set out in D86-05-078. **Reopens the docket, rescinds an earlier decision dealing with the application, and grants the request to withdraw the application. This proceeding is closed.**

- D00-08-019 I99-12-020 - Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Jone R. Rodley (Respondent), dba Moving for Less. **Approves a settlement agreed to by the Commission Consumer Services Division and Respondent as set forth in the Appendix. The settlement requires Respondent to pay restitution to former customers who suffered loss or damage caused by the operation of her business. Respondent also relinquishes her permit to operate as a household goods carrier and will not apply for another permit or operate as a household goods carrier for five years. If Respondent reapplies for another permit after five years, she will be required to disclose certain information to the Commission, including a reference to this proceeding, her compliance with mediation agreements, arbitration awards, or judicial orders in proceedings brought against her by customers, and any judicial, law enforcement or administrative proceedings against her.**
- D00-08-020 I99-07-001 - Order Instituting Investigation for the purpose of establishing a list for the fiscal years 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 of existing and proposed crossings at grade of the city streets, county roads, or state highways in need of separation, or projects effecting the elimination of grade crossings by removal or relocation of streets or railroad tracks, or existing separations in need of alterations or reconstruction in accordance with Section 2452 of the Streets and Highways Code. **Rescinds D00-06-078, establishes the Priority List of separation and improvement grade crossing projects to be funded in Year 2000-2001 and establishes a process to amend the Priority List for Year 2001-2002 in accordance with the current formula. This proceeding is closed.**
- D00-08-021 A99-01-016 - Pacific Gas and Electric Company. For authority to establish post-transition period electric ratemaking mechanisms. A99-01-019, A99-01-034, A99-02-029 - Related matters. **Denies in part and grants in part The Utility Consumers' Action Network's (UCAN) emergency petition. The decision denies UCAN's request to implement a rate freeze. Instead, it adopts but grants San Diego Gas & Electric's (SDG&E) request to amortize its Transition Cost Balancing Account as set forth. over**

the next two months, thereby providing a \$17.25 reduction in the average residential bill. To stabilize bills, the decision alters SDG&E's Levelized Payment Plan. Also authorizes SDG&E's participation in Block Forward Markets, directs the Commission's Energy Division to investigate energy markets. (Cmmr Duque filed a partial concurrence and a partial dissent.)

D00-08-022 R94-04-031 - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation. I94-04-032 - Related matter. **Approves a qualifying facility contract amendment for Southern California Edison Company and San Diego Gas and Electric Company per Attachments A & B.**

D00-08-023 R94-04-031 - Order Instituting Rulemaking on the Commission's proposed policies governing restructuring California's electric services industry and reforming regulation. I94-04-032 - Related matter. **Grants the Emergency Motions filed by Southern California Edison Company and Pacific Gas and Electric Company for bilateral power contract transactions as set forth.**

D00-08-024 A98-11-012 - Lodi Gas Storage, LLC. For a certificate of public convenience and necessity for construction and operation of the gas storage facilities. **Modifies D00-05-048 as set forth; denies rehearing of D00-05-048 as modified. This proceeding is closed.**

RESOLUTIONS SIGNED ON

COMMISSION MEETING OF AUGUST 3, 2000

Commissioners Present:

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Henry M. Duque

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Richard A. Bilas

Carl W. Wood

8/3/2000 ALJ-176-3044 Ratification of preliminary determinations of category for proceedings initiated by application. The preliminary determinations are pursuant to Article 2.5, Rules 4 and 6.1 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and

Procedure. **Adopted.**

- E-3663 Advice Letter 1198-E of San Diego Gas & Electric Company. Requests authorization to modify definitions in Tariff Rule 1 which are applicable to Schedules A-V1, A-V2, A-V3 and RTP 2, and Special Conditions 13 and 14 of Schedule RTP-2 which are applicable to interruptible customers. **Denied. The California Energy Commission's protest is denied.**
- E-3686 Advice Letter 1468-E of Southern California Edison Company (SCE). Requests authorization to establish the Short-Term Generation Capacity Memorandum Account to assist in the shortage of generating capacity in the State of California. **Approved with one modification that SCE cannot lease the Riverside Canal Facility beyond October 31, 2001. Energy Users Forum's protest is denied.**
- E-3687 Advice Letter 1463-E of Southern California Edison Company. Requests authorization to implement a Residential Swimming Pool Pump Tripper Program to assist in the shortage of generating. **Approved with modifications.**
- E-3688 Advice Letter 1464-E of Southern California Edison Company (SCE). Emergency modification to SCE's Air Conditioner Cycling Program for residential and non-residential customers to assist in the shortage of generating capacity in the State of California. **Approved with modifications.**
- E-3689 Advice Letter 1465-E of Southern California Edison Company (SCE). Emergency modification to SCE's Commercial and Industrial Interruptible Program to assist in alleviating the shortage of generating capacity in the State of California. **Approved with modifications. The protests of the California Large Energy Consumers Association, The Energy Commission, Natural Resources Defense Council, Office of Ratepayer Advocates, Supply Side Energy Solutions, The Utility Reform Network, and Utility Savings & Refund Services are granted in part and denied in part.**
- E-3696 Advice Letter 1980-E of Pacific Gas and Electric Company. Request to reopen the nonfirm service

program to all customers on its commercial and industrial rate schedules. **Granted as modified. The protests of The Office of Ratepayer Advocates and The Utility Reform Network are granted in part and denied in part.**

- E-3699 Advice Letter 1241-E of San Diego Gas & Electric Company. Requests authorization to modify, on an interim basis, the methodology for calculating the California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) Discounts and the CARE program rates listed in Electric Rate Schedules DR-LI, DS, DT, DT-RV, S-SMF. **Approved with modifications.**
- G-3286 Advice Letter 1194-G of Sempra Energy, on behalf of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (SDG&E). Requests approval of a special contract between SDG&E and Cox Communications San Diego (Cox), dated March 23, 2000 for meterless natural gas service. This contract is part of an arrangement between SDG&E and Cox relative to special gas metering provisions that deviate from SDG&E's Gas Tariff Rule 2, Description of Service, and Gas Tariff Rule 18, Meter Tests and Adjustment of Bills. **Granted.**
- G-3282 Advice Letter (AL) 3-G and AL 4-G of West Coast Gas Incorporated. Requests authority to revise its tariff schedules and Preliminary Statement, to add Tariff Rule 19 regarding California Alternate Rates for Energy for qualified customers, and not to revise rates to reflect its results of operations. **Granted.**
- T-16445 Advice Letter 21218 of Pacific Bell (Pacific). Request for approval of an Interconnection Agreement between Pacific and Ernest Communications, Inc., submitted under provisions of Resolution ALJ-178 and General Order 96-A. **Granted as set forth.**
- T-16446 Advice Letter 9475 of GTE California (GTE). Request for approval of one Paging Interconnection Agreement between GTE and Crown Cellular & Paging, submitted under provisions of Resolution ALJ-178 and General Order 96-A. **Granted as set forth.**
- T-16447 Advice Letter (AL) 9490 and AL 9491 of GTE California (GTE). Request for approval of two Interconnection Agreements between GTE and Omniplex

	Communications Corporation, and between GTE and New Edge Network, Inc., dba New Edge Networks, submitted under provisions of Resolution ALJ-178 and General Order 96-A. Granted as set forth.
TL-18939	Resolution approving issuance of charter-party carrier certificates pursuant to Section 5374(b) of the Public Utilities Code. Granted as set forth in the attachment.
TL-18940	Chung Ming Chiu, dba Metro Airport Shuttle. Requests for a voluntary suspension of its passenger stage corporation certificate. Granted.
W-4205	California-American Water Company (Cal-Am), Monterey Division. Resolution directing the budget officer to request budget augmentation to fund the Plan B project. This method of funding will pass the costs on to all ratepayers through the user fee process, rather than only to Cal-Am's Monterey District ratepayers. Granted as set forth.
W-4212	Advice Letter 306 of San Gabriel Valley Water Company, Los Angeles County Division. Requests approval for an offset rate increase of \$1,317,406 or 4.5% additional revenue. Granted as set forth.
W-4213	Advice Letter 1484 of California Water Service Company, Los Altos-Suburban District. Requests approval for an offset rate increase producing additional annual revenues of \$842,200 or 8.7%. Granted as set forth.
W-4216	Advice Letter 59 of Donner Lake Water Company (DLWC). Requests authority to implement mandatory conservation and rationing, placing a service moratorium on new connections, ordering the filing of a service improvement plan, audit of DLWC's books and business practices, and immediate correction of deficient facilities. Granted as set forth in the appendix.

NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner

*has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. **Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.***

NONE FILED

NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c))

All-Party Meeting - A99-08-022

<p><i>September 5, 2000</i> <i>10 am - 11 am</i></p>	<p><i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Conference Room 5209</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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There will be an All-Party Meeting with Commissioner Henry M. Duque, and Laura Krannawitter, Advisor to Commissioner Duque.

This is parties' opportunity to meet with Commissioner Duque on this matter. No individual meetings will be granted. RSVP with representative name(s), affiliation, and telephone/fax number to be reached in the event of changes to this meeting. Please call Arlene Gaspar at (415) 703-2618 or e-mail her at max@cpuc.ca.gov NO LATER than the end of business day on Friday, September 1, so there is adequate time to advise the Commissioner's Office of the attendees.

All-Party Meeting - A99-08-036

<p><i>September 6, 2000</i> <i>10:30 am - 11:30 am</i></p>	<p><i>California Public Utilities Commission</i> <i>505 Van Ness Avenue, Conference Room 5305</i> <i>San Francisco</i></p>
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There will be an all-party meeting with Commissioner Carl Wood and Bill Julian, advisor to Commissioner Wood.

All parties are invited to meet with Commissioner Wood on this matter. No individual meetings will be granted. Provide an RSVP with the name of the representative who will attend the meeting, phone number, and fax number to Dolores Montellano at (415) 703-2440 or e-mail at dmm@cpuc.ca.gov. RSVPs must be received NO LATER than noon on Tuesday, September 5.

All-Party Meeting - A99-08-022

September 6, 2000
3 pm - 4 pm

California Public Utilities Commission
505 Van Ness Avenue, Conference Room 5305
San Francisco

There will be an all-party meeting with Commissioner Carl Wood and Bill Julian, advisor to Commissioner Wood.

All parties are invited to meet with Commissioner Wood on this matter. No individual meetings will be granted. Provide an RSVP with the name of the representative who will attend the meeting, phone number, and fax number to Dolores Montellano at (415) 703-2440 or e-mail at dmm@cpuc.ca.gov. RSVPs must be received NO LATER than noon on Tuesday, September 5.

NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

8/24/00 A99-09-053 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, to market value hydroelectric generating plants and related assets pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 367(b) and 851.

Summary: On August 22, 2000, Diane I. Fellman, counsel to the Independent Energy Producers Association (IEP), delivered a letter (attached to the notice) addressed to Cmmr. Lynch, to Geoff Dryvynsyde, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch. A copy of the letter was also delivered to ALJ Hale. The letter contains communications regarding IEP's current position in this proceeding.

Filer: Independent Energy Producers Association

Contact: Myrna Yee or Kedra Chan **Phone:** (510) 874-4301

8/25/00 R93-04-003 Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks and
I93-04-002 Commission Order Instituting Investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.

Summary: On August 22, 2000, Penny Bewick, Director of Government Affairs for New Edge Network, Inc. dba New Edge Networks (New Edge), met with Cmmr. Duque, Cmmr. Wood, and Lester Wong, advisor to Cmmr. Bilas, in three separate meetings in

San Francisco. At the meeting with Cmmr. Duque also present was Lynne McGhee, advisor to Cmmr. Duque; at the meeting with Cmmr. Wood - Jonathan Lakritz, advisor to Cmmr. Wood (Cmmr. Wood departed after the first 10 minutes of the meeting.) In all three meetings participated the following representatives of New Edge: Robert McMillin, Director-Interconnection, Karen Moore, Service Activation Manager, and David Marchant, outside counsel. Written material (attached to the notice) was used. During the meetings, the New Edge representatives expressed concern about the pricing for access to the high frequency portion of the loop (HFPL) in the draft decision. New Edge representatives urged that, in the absence of any cost justification from Verizon California, Inc. and Pacific Bell Telephone Company (PacBell), the price should be \$0.00 in order to promote competition for advanced services. New Edge representatives also discussed the adverse impact that high prices for the HFPL could have on the second and third tier markets for advanced services and noted that New Edge had not signed a line sharing agreement with either PacBell or Verizon.

Filer: New Edge Network, Inc., dba New Edge Networks

Contact: Hector Pazos

Phone: (415) 276-6567

8/28/00	R93-04-003	Commission Order Instituting Rulemaking on Commission's own motion to govern open access to bottleneck services and establish a framework for network architecture development of dominant carrier networks and
	I93-04-002	Commission order instituting investigation on the Commission's own motion into open access and network architecture development of dominant carrier networks.
	R95-04-043	Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service and
	I95-04-044	Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition for local exchange service.

Summary: On August 28, 2000, John L. Clark of Goodin, MacBride, Squeri, Ritchie & Day, LLP, attorneys for the Association of Communications Enterprises (ASCENT) and the California Association of Competitive Telecommunications Companies (CALTEL), wrote letters (attached to the notice) addressed to Cmmr. Lynch, Cmmr. Neep, Cmmr. Bilas, Cmmr. Wood, and Cmmr. Duque. The letters are substantively identical and apprise the Commission of Pacific Bell's (PacBell) recent decision to begin charging for access account maintenance products used by interexchange carriers and for electronic access to PacBell's service ordering system. The letters question PacBell's charges, but express significant concern over PacBell's concomitant decision to terminate the ability of interexchange carriers to submit electronic service orders upon their failure to timely execute contracts agreeing to the new charges for such access. CALTEL and ASCENT urge the Commission to undertake a careful examination of the potential effects that PacBell's entry could have on interexchange competition and to ensure that sufficient monitoring and enforcement measures are in place before any further action that would promote PacBell's impending Section 271 application.

Filer: Association of Communications Enterprises et al.

Contact: Cynthia Addad

Phone: (415) 392-7900
